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**BOX APPLICATION**  
**Attention: DO/EO/US**  
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**Washington, D.C. 20231**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the initial examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

**In the Claims:**

**Please cancel claims 1-15 and 31-69 and 76-127.**

Please amend claim 16 as follows:

16. A method of providing secure communication between a mobile node and a home domain using a foreign domain comprising:

transmitting a registration request from the mobile node to the home domain the request comprising an identity of a user of the mobile node in encrypted form and network routing information in non-encrypted form;

the home domain receiving and processing the registration request to generate a registration reply comprising one or more encryption keys for encrypting messages to be communicated between and among the mobile node home